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Sir:

On June 29, 2005, Applicant paid the Issue Fee on the above referenced application, in addition to submitting a request to the USPTO to recheck the Patent Term Adjustment of 396 days as Applicant believes there appeared to be too much time granted.

As more than 6 months has elapsed since that time, Applicant requests a status update at this time as to when the above patent will issue.

Respectfully submitted,

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